From: DalSoglio, Julie [DalSoglio.Julie@epa.gov]

4/1/2013 4:41:29 PM Sent:

To: Vranka, Joe [vranka.joe@epa.gov]

Fw: Request from Sen. Tester staffer for conf call re EPA Site Reassessment for Columbia Falls Smelter Subject:

Importance: High

From: Fells, Sandy

Sent: Monday, April 01, 2013 12:37:17 PM
To: Miller, Johanna; Ketellapper, Victor; Faulk, Libby
Cc: Parker, Robert; Ackerman, Joyce; Hestmark, Martin; Cantor, Howard; Wong, Judith; Smith, Paula;

Levine, Carolyn; DalSoglio, Julie

Subject: RE: Request from Sen. Tester staffer for conf call re EPA Site Reassessment for Columbia Falls

Smelter

Hi, All -- I have not heard back yet from Senator Tester's staffer, Dylan Laslovich, in response to the times I suggested for this Tuesday or Wednesday. So, so when I do hear back from him, I can let him know that we now need to move the briefing to ?? Thursday??

Please keep me posted on the progress of the Qs and As and when you'd like me to try again to schedule the call. I will check with Dylan on including Virginia Sloan (with Tester's office in Kalispell); but as I mentioned before, I don't think it would be a problem to include her. When I reach out to Virginia, I'll ask her if there are questions she'd like to have covered on the pending call that will help her be prepared to talk about CFAC at the Flathead Basin Commission meeting.

I'll look forward to hearing back on a new proposed date/time for the conf. call.

Thanks, again! Sandy

----Original Message----

From: Miller, Johanna

Sent: Monday, April 01, 2013 7:49 AM To: Ketellapper, Victor; Faulk, Libby Cc: Fells, Sandy; Parker, Robert

Subject: FW: Request from Sen. Tester staffer for conf call re EPA Site Reassessment for Columbia Falls Smelter

Victor - Martin would like us to prepare some Qs and As prior to the call so we can make sure we are clear about our messages. I also asked Sandy Fells to reach out to Virginia Sloan to make sure any questions she might have prior to the Flathead Basin Commission meeting are covered.

Libby - this is a new site in MT that we will be reassessing for potential NPL listing. Senators Baucus and Tester are both interested in the site and have asked EPA to assess the site. Can you assign a CIC? Thanks

Johanna

----Original Message----

From: Fells, Sandy

Sent: Tuesday, March 26, 2013 4:44 PM

To: Ketellapper, Victor

Cc: Miller, Johanna; Parker, Robert; Piggott, Amelia; Hestmark, Martin; Stavnes, Sandra; Levine, Carolyn Subject: Request from Sen. Tester staffer for conf call re EPA Site Reassessment for Columbia Falls Smelter

Hi, Victor -- Senator Tester's staffer, Dylan Laslovich, has provided some details (below) about what he'd like to discuss. Please let me know who all should be on the call, and also a time next Mon, Tues or Wed that would be okay for you to do the call, and I'll propose it to Dylan.

As always, many thanks for your help with these requests!! Sandy

----Original Message----

From: Laslovich, Dylan (Tester) [mailto:Dylan_Laslovich@tester.senate.gov]

Sent: Tuesday, March 26, 2013 4:35 PM

To: Fells, Sandy

Subject: RE: tester ltr re cfac

You are right. I am looking for details on what goes into the planning stages as well as what happens on the ground when the assessment is taking place. It would also be helpful to hear about where there engagement with MT DEQ and public stakeholders take place. Finally, I appreciate the difficulty in nailing down a time frame, but I will likely ask about what issues will most impact the timeline.

----Original Message----

From: Fells, Sandy [mailto:Fells.Sandy@epa.gov] Sent: Tuesday, March 26, 2013 6:30 PM

To: Laslovich, Dylan (Tester) Subject: RE: tester ltr re cfac

Hi, Dylan -- Sure! Sounds like you're looking for a few more details on the activities that would go into the Site Reassessment. Do you have specific questions or concerns that you'd like to have addressed? That will help me get the right EPA folks on the call.

Would you like to propose a day / time next week that works best for you, and I'll schedule our folks around it.

Thanks! Sandy

----Original Message----

From: Laslovich, Dylan (Tester) [mailto:Dylan_Laslovich@tester.senate.gov]

Sent: Tuesday, March 26, 2013 4:24 PM

To: Fells, Sandy

Subject: RE: tester ltr re cfac

Thanks so much Sandy. Would it be possible to schedule a call with appropriate EPA staff to learn more about this process? Perhaps for early next week?

----Original Message----

From: Fells, Sandy [mailto:Fells.Sandy@epa.gov]

Sent: Tuesday, March 26, 2013 3:09 PM

To: Laslovich, Dylan (Tester) Subject: FW: tester ltr re cfac

Hello, Dylan -- EPA's response to Senator Tester and Baucus' March 5 letter on behalf of Columbia Falls is attached. Ms. Virginia Sloan with Senator Tester's office in Kalispell is also receiving a copy via email.

Please let me know if you have questions or comments on our letter.

Thank you, Sandy

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